

The Leader

HUTCHINSON, KANSAS.

POINTER NO. 161.

Every evil has a remedy.

POINTER NO. 166.

To simple neglect can be traced the cause of many an empty purse.

Each day adds many new faces to this busy store's list of patrons.

The Skeptical ones are "coming around" every day and demonstrating by their liberal patronage, after close and careful comparisons, that the advantages in trading here—outweigh those of other stores.

Do not neglect or ignore conditions that are convincing others—you are unjust to yourself if you do.

New Plisse.

The season's rage in moderate priced wash goods—as sheer as linen—dainty crinkle effects—Exquisite colorings—a sensible practical wash material that is both handsome and low in price—two grades—10c yard and 19c yard. We have just received this Plisse in dark backgrounds, heretofore impossible to obtain.

New Dimities.

In the yellows—the greens—the lavenders—in dainty stripes; a smooth sheer cloth—colors permanent—this cloth has lost none of its old time popularity and is to be seen here this season in greater variety than in all other stores put together—10c, 12 1-2 and 15c yard.

Crepons.

All this seasons new conceits are shelved and shown here—white polka dots on grounds of dainty blues and greens—small dashes of black on grounds of orange and lavender—plain colors—assortment infinitely complete, 15c yard.

Percales.

Few shoppers, indeed, who have not remarked of our percale supremacy this season. Percales here in a wonderful wide range of patterns and prices. The New Red Percales—the Soft Sheer—Light Weight Percales. There is as much exclusiveness in Percales as in anything else and a hundred times more so here than elsewhere. 8 1/2 to 15c per yard.

Sateens.

White Goods—Pongees—Peques—Ducks—Ginghams—Organdies. We could go on talking about Wash Goods as represented here for a whole week, but space won't permit. Suffice it to say, if you want a Cotton Wash dress here is the place you will be most able to select it, and of finding something to meet your taste and fancy.

THE LEADER
Dry Goods Co.
J. D. WIENER, J. A. MILNE
Managers

COUNTY NEWS.

Langdon.

And still no rain.

Jack frost made this section of the country a visit last Friday and Saturday nights and done a great deal of damage.

The cut worms are injuring the corn crop so that most everybody is planting the second time.

Representative Dix, of Bell, was in town Monday.

John Woodson and family visited Hutchinson Monday.

Mrs. Shaw, of Nickerson, is visiting her mother Mrs. D. P. Graves, who has been sick for the last few days with pneumonia fever but is better at this writing.

J. F. Rallick and son Roy were doing business in Hutchinson last Friday.

D. W. Kent, of Hutchinson was doing business for the Valley State bank in this vicinity last Wednesday.

A great many of our people took advantage of the reduced railroad fare and done business in Hutchinson last week.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Albert Rainum, a baby boy one day last week. Dr. Ives officiating.

A. W. Collins, city barber says if it don't rain soon that the crop of beard will be short as they are affected already.

One of Langdon's old citizen's Rev. A. O. Oranshaw is removing to Milan, Sumner county we regret the loss of Mr. Oranshaw, but what is our loss is their gain.

Medford.

Thomas is in luck. Hurrah for Tom he deserves it.

Last Saturday night frost did considerable damage to the potato crop of this vicinity.

Our road overseers are working the roads this dry weather. This is a good idea.

Two wagon loads of Medford's young people went fishing one day last week but they failed to catch any fish.

Our young people who took the diploma examination have heard from the county superintendent and some of them are disappointed, but several of them passed.

If it don't rain soon I don't know what people will do with their stock as several of our farmers are herding their cattle in the roads now.

P. R. O.

Castleton.

There has been two frosts this week, but no serious damage is reported.

Thos. Fall started his cream wagon last week.

Mrs. Sam Dull is on the sick list.

Mr. Patrick Devonish has been very ill for the past week.

Mr. Abel Berends and Miss Lucy Purvis were married at the home of the bride's parents, on Wednesday, May 8th, by Rev. Taylor. The many friends of the couple wish them life-long happiness.

While on his way to the strip Mr. Bradbridge, of Hutchinson, seriously injured his spine last Monday in lifting. He and his wife are now staying at Thos. Fall's until he is able to resume his journey or go back to his friends in Hutchinson.

Wanted.

Teams to cut sod with disc sod cutters. W. E. HUTCHINSON.

FROM MONTANA.

WHITEHALL, MONT., May 8, 1895.

EDITORS GAZETTE:
Sirs, per agreement to my friends in Reno county I will write a few lines for the GAZETTE. Fred Albright and myself left Hutchinson April 15th at 10 o'clock a. m. and arrived at Whitehall the 18th at 12 o'clock at night. We took the Rock Island and had to make eight changes and had to lay over one hour at McFarland eight and one-half hours at Denver, four and one-half hours at Ogden, Utah, and thirteen at Butte City.

Nevertheless we had a nice trip. We went from Denver to Cheyenne, Wyoming which is a nice city of two or three thousand inhabitants and from there to Ogden, Utah. We passed over the summit or backbone of the Rocky mountains also through the famous Echo and Webber canyons which is grand beyond description. I saw the famous Devil's Slide. I think the old fellow must have had more luck than I have if he ever slid down there. Also Pulpit Rock from which Brigham Young delivered his first sermon in Utah. It stands at the edge of Webber canyon and against a solid wall of rock hundreds of feet high. In this canyon is where the Mormons first tackled the soldiers. Ogden is an old Mormon town but has been converted into a fine city of 16,000 inhabitants and has one of the finest depots on the route. It lies on the level at the foot of a range of snow capped mountains. We passed through Brigham where Brigham Young first settled. It is said to be the prettiest town in Utah but it was getting dark and we could not see much of it. Pocatello, Idaho is the next city of any importance, but it was night and we didn't see much of it. From there we went up, up, until we got above the pines among the snow caps, where it was all snow and ice. It makes me shiver yet. Butte City lays against the side and top of the mountains and has 6,000 inhabitants. It is the greatest mining town in the world. We parted at Butte City. Fred taking the Great Northern and I Northern Pacific. My letter is already too long so will not say anything regarding the country this time.

JACOB SAYGER.

WHAT IS SOUND MONEY?

A Paper Money Man Vigorously Stirs Up the Animals in the Washington Political Menagerie.

Mr. J. W. Morton, Jr., the talented editor of the Washington Blue and Gray magazine, has published the following article in the Washington Post: Replying to your editorial inquiries of to-day under the caption, "Time for Plain Talk," I beg to submit:

1. Sound money is that which rests upon a foundation strong and broad enough to warrant and inspire implicit confidence among its users.

2. Honest money is that which is at all times and continuously an equitable common denominator of values, that will honestly set as a standard for deferred payments, and that may not become the plaything of speculators; the unit of which shall remain absolutely unchanged in its purchasing power or command over commodities.

3. There can be "sound" money which does not rest on a gold foundation; furthermore, money that rests on a gold foundation is inevitably unsound. This is true, also, as to silver, or a combination of gold and silver; with this difference, that the use of two metals broadens the foundation, and to that extent increases the stability of the monetary structure.

4. A dollar that will grow either greater or less in general purchasing power with the lapse of time is dishonest and unsound. No "commodity" dollar can be otherwise.

5. Gold is not, never was, and can never be a "measure of values." Science truly asserts that "a measure must be homogeneous with the thing measured." How, then, can gold "measure" pig iron or corned beef?

6. Value is a ratio or relation existing between two powers or objects. Being a ratio it can be expressed only by figures, which are immaterial and deal with quantities; never by substances which are material and deal with qualities. Further, values or ratios can be expressed, but never "measured." Again, value being a ratio between two things it can never be possessed by any one thing; hence, the theory of intrinsic or inherent value has now been discarded by practically all economists.

7. It is clear, therefore, that the so-called "standard of value" is not only an absurdity but a nonentity, whether it be assumed to be of gold or silver, or both.

8. What we call a "gold standard" is merely an arbitrary arrangement whereby we attempt to conform the exchange value of our dollar of account—i. e., its purchasing power—to the ratio of exchange currently existing between the world's gold bullion and the general commodity mass, which ratio is constantly shifting, and with it our dollar of account. By this unnatural complication we not only do not secure for ourselves that first grand requisite of a sound and honest currency—a changeless monetary unit—but we actually make monetary stability impossible. Take Prof. Jevon's figures for proof: Between 1789 and 1890 the relative value of gold fell 46 per cent.; from 1809 to 1849 it rose 145 per cent.; from 1849 to 1874 it again fell 20 per cent., and since 1874 it has appreciated not less than 35 per cent. Could anything be more absurd than to speak of a "standard" subject to such fluctuations? A rubber tape-line would be equally reliable.

9. "Free silver" of the Stewart-Sibley variety would simply mean silver monometallism until such time as the immutable laws of supply and demand should restore the two metals to a natural parity of 16 to 1. Bimetallism means, in fact, alternate eras of monometallism, or the continuous use of whichever metal may remain the cheaper. Practically, free silver would add to the soundness of our present inflated gold currency by broadening its base, and to this extent would restore confidence, raise prices and thereby stimulate trade.

10. Secretary Morton says in your interview: "That money is the soundest for which throughout the commerce of the civilized world there is the most universal demand." The honorable gentleman here falls into the common error of confounding the monetary function with its physical existence, just as the idol worshiper of the east associates a wooden image with the occult power it is thought to represent. The secretary ignores the fact that money is a national, not an international, creation. When he says "money" he undoubtedly means "gold," and in grains (commodity) not in dollars. If so, he is quite right. The grain of gold is the current international medium of exchange, but not as money; it may remain so forever, and will unless some international money system shall be hereafter adopted. Gold is, perhaps, of all commodities, the best adapted to the settlement of international balances; but gold is not money any more than baled hay, except by the incident of its use for coinage, and in this respect paper is its equal. Gold can never be a "measure" or a "standard" of values, nor can it be "money" except within the jurisdiction indicated by the stamp it bears and even then it is the stamp and not the bullion that endows it with the monetary function.

11. Finally, that money is the most sound and honest (1) which most perfectly and equitably performs the monetary function of facilitating exchanges; (2) which represents, not in its substance, but in its basis or foundation, actual wealth so great that its purchasing power remains undiminished and its integrity unquestioned; (3) which, being divorced from commodity, shall be freed from the laws governing commodity; and (4) the supply, of which shall be automatically regulated by the commercial needs thereof.

With all our theories and "isms" we have yet to learn, as a people, the rudimentary laws of financial science. Blundering along the lines of the old "standard of value" fallacy, monetary reform will never be satisfactorily accomplished. The true solution of this most vitally important problem will be reached only after a final adjudication of the case of "Science vs. Specie."

Respectfully yours,
J. W. MORTON, JR.

WHAT MIGHT HAPPEN.

Would the Money Power Concede Silver's Claims to Save the Right to Issue Bank Notes?

From the time of the first talk about the new silver party, in fact ever since the silver fight has been on, we have wondered if the conditions should arise wherein the present gold-bugs and bankers' combines should go to the silverites with the proposition: "You vote with us for a bank currency as against greenbacks, or government paper money, and we will vote for silver." If the silverites would not accept. Bear the fact in mind that the silverites are specie basis men, and we are afraid that if, in the course of events, they should get in power, they would insist that even the government paper money of which they are now talking should rest upon a specie basis. As old Solon Chase, of Maine, used to say: "The greenback road, like the road to Heaven, lies straight ahead." Uncle Solon was right, but he himself strayed from the beaten path, and for awhile was "lost in the shuffle." He is back now, however, as are thousands of others who thought they saw a short cut across lots. Had the old greenback party not wandered off into the swamps of fusion, Cleveland and the Jews would not now be reveling in new bonds. Populists, if the silverites want to come with us, let us welcome them, but let us not throw away one of the principles of the Omaha platform for the promise of a few votes. Keep in the middle of the road.—Chicago Free Trader.

—Fops should beware of straying off after the silver god. It is a false one, anyway. It would not surprise us if, in the course of time, the gold-bugs and the silverites joined forces as against a government paper money. We are willing to help the silverites if they come our way, but we are not in favor of going out of our way to do so.—Chicago Free Trader.

WAGES TO BE ADVANCED.

The Carnegie Steel Co. Will Raise the Wages of its 25,000 Employees. PITTSBURGH, Pa., May 15.—The board of managers of the Carnegie Steel Co. decided last night to advance the wages of its 25,000 employees 10 per cent., the raise to take effect on June 1. This action is entirely opposed to what members of the board gave out after Saturday's meeting on the demand for an increase made by the furnace men at the Edgar Thompson furnaces. It is claimed, however, that Mr. Frick cabled to Andrew Carnegie in England and that the increase was first suggested by Mr. Carnegie. It is not known what effect this action will have on the fight of the Amalgamated association in other mills. Outside manufacturers claim that in many instances the Carnegie scale is 50 per cent. lower than the Amalgamated scale. This is the first advance since the reduction of 1892.

Opposed to the Monument Dedication. BLOOMINGTON, Ill., May 15.—An exciting discussion took place at to-day's session of the state G. A. R. over the proposition to dedicate on Decoration day the confederate monument at Oakwood cemetery, Chicago. There seems to be no doubt the encampment will pass a resolution declaring such a use of the holiday improper and unpatriotic, and declaring that the G. A. R. posts, as such, should not participate.

A Wonderful Leap.

RED WING, Minn., May 15.—Harry Harmon, of San Francisco, jumped from the new bridge, 80 feet high, in the presence of about 5,000 people. Standing on the cross braces he allowed himself to fall backwards, turning a complete somersault and striking the water feet first. He reappeared on the surface almost instantly, uninjured.

Big Four Route.

The "Knickerbocker Special" leaves St. Louis at 12:00, Peoria 12:10 p. m., arrives Indianapolis 6:30 p. m. Buffalo 6:18 a. m. next day, New York 6:00 p. m. and Boston 9:05 p. m. This is the "flyer" especially providing for eastern business.

W. F. SNYDER.

G. W. A. "Big Four" St. Louis, Mo.

New Harness Shop.

Mr. C. C. Cole has severed his connection with the old firm of Jones & Cole, and has opened up a new shop at No. 5 Sherman street east where he will be pleased to meet all his old customers and as many new ones as he can. If you need any repairing done this is the place to go. Don't forget the place. No 5 Sherman east. 3-1.

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RAILROAD TIME TABLES.

ROCK ISLAND.		
NORTHWARD.		
No. 20, Mail and Express.....	DEPARTS	9:00 a. m.
No. 24, Night Express.....	10:05 p. m.	
No. 62, Freight Acc.....	11:40 a. m.	
SOUTHWARD.		
No. 19, Mail and Express.....	DEPARTS	7:30 p. m.
No. 23, Dodge City Express.....	9:30 a. m.	
No. 61, Freight Accom.....	12:00 p. m.	
No. 19 runs to Pratt only		
No. 23 runs through to Dodge City and Lib.		
Nos. 61 and 62 daily except Sunday.		
MISSOURI PACIFIC.		
NORTHWARD.		
No. 454, Denver & St. Louis Ex.....	DEPARTS	9:05 a. m.
No. 464, Wichita & K. C. Accommodation, leaves.....	3:00 p. m.	
SOUTHWARD.		
No. 453, St. Louis & Denver Ex.....	DEPARTS	7:30 p. m.
No. 463, Wichita Accommodation, leaves.....	11:40 a. m.	
No. 455, Way Freight, departs.....	9:45 p. m.	
Trains No. 454, 455 and 456 do not run on Sundays.		
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H. C. TOWNSEND, Gen. Pass. Agent.		
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ARRIVALS.		
No. 8, Mail and Express.....	8:10 p. m.	
No. 9, Freight and Accom.....	11:40 p. m.	
DEPARTS.		
No. 1, Mail and Express.....	8:10 a. m.	
No. 5, Freight and Accom.....	2:00 p. m.	
*Daily. *Daily except Sunday.		
Close connection made at Hutchinson and Kansas with diverging lines.		
Daily connection with stage line at Cameron, reaching Fond Creek at 5 p. m.		
ATCHINSON, TOPEKA & SANTA FE.		
NORTHWARD.		
Denver and Utah V. Ex.....	DEPARTS	5:10 p. m.
California Limited.....	6:25 p. m.	
Mexico and California.....	10:10 p. m.	
Colorado Night Ex.....	7:45 a. m.	
SOUTHWARD.		
Atlantic Ex.....	DEPARTS	10:50 p. m.
New York Limited Ex.....	8:40 a. m.	
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